UNITED PRESS.

By Telegraph

3.30 O'CLOCK.

ENGLAND'S PLAN.

Has Instructed Governor of Cuiana to Treat with Yenezuela Direct.

BRITISH DO NOT LIKE THE U. S. SENATE'S AFFIRM-ING MONROE DOC-TRINE.

Tramps Have a Close Call. 18 NEARLY ASPHYXIATED.

Facts About Turkish Cruelty. LETTER RECEIVED IN BOSTON.

LONDON, Jan. 18 .- Important news is announced today touching the Venezuelan dispute. It is said that Sir Augustus Hemming, the new governor of British Gulana, will sail for Georgetown February 26.

The new governor will be authorized to negotiate with Venezuela for a settlement of her boundary dispute, if the Venezue. lan government will consent to treat with him.

It can be stated upon good authority that Lord Salisbury is endeavoring through a mutual power to resume direct negotiations with Venezuela, and will propose the appointment of a joint commission to settie the frontier question. Should this commission fail to reach a complete agreement, the points in dispute will be referred to a third power for decision.

LONDON, Jan. 18.—The London press today does not take kindly to the United States senate's reported action of yesterday in resolving in committee to extend the Monroe doctrine.

The Speaker says today: "If congress endorses new Monroeism and the United States government demands Great Britain's acceptance thereof it would be equivalent to declaring war. But Great Britain could never submit to maké a virtue of the surrender of her possessions in America until she had exhausted all her resources of resistance."

The St. James Gazette says, "The issue of peace or war lies with Americans, and not with us. It is misleading optimism to pretend anything else."

THOSE EIGHTEEN TRAMPS.

They Came Near to Leaving the World All Together Today.

Special Dispatch to the Transcript.] CLINTON. Jan. 18.-Eighteen tramps. who were lodged at the police station here last night, had a narrow escape from asnumber turned the damper in a stove funnel in the tramp room, thereby preventing the escape of the coal gas up the chimney. The result was that when the officers unlocked the door this morning they found the men all in a stupor. The bodies of many of them were rigid and it was some time before all of them regained consciousness. Two who had inhaled more of the poisonous gas than others were not able to leave the house until early noon.

LETTER RECEIVED AT BOSTON Gives Facts and Figures Regarding Turk-

ish Outrages.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

BOSTON, Jan. 18.-A letter received here today from Rev. Herman N. Barnum of Harpoot, Turkey, states he has heard from 176 villages in the vicinity of his station. These villages contained 15,400 christian houses out of which 7064 have been burned and 15.845. people murdered. Dr. Barnum adds. "I fear the future will prove much worse," A large amount of property belonging to the American Board of Foreign Missions

has been burned. Brown Bros. & Co., of this city acknowledge the receipt of \$10,424 50 for the Ar

menian relief fund.

SPANISH OPINION. Bellef that Campos Had Made Bad Mill.

the situation there. Military journals

censure him and declare his splitting up

of his 160,000 followers into small sections

to protect rural property has been the

chief cause of the extension of the Cubon

PECULIAR TIME OF DEATH.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

Troup of the House of Callendar, McAus-

lan & Troup dropped dead of heart dis

ease today on his way to the funeral of

John McAusian of the same firm.

PTOVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 18.-John E.

manding woman of great strength of char-acter. It was she who first filled his mind with Ideas of liberty. tary Mistakes. Cowper was devotedly attached to his mother, and often mentions or alludes to [Special Dispatch to the Transcript.] her in his writings. One of his most MADRID, Jan. 18.-The consensus of abarming poems was written in her honor. opinion here is that the superseding of Leopold Schefer, the German writer, General Campos in command of the Spanhad a good mother as well as a good wife. He said of both, "But one thing on earth ish forces in Cuba will greatly improve is better than the wife-that is the

mother.1 Dante had a gifted mother. It is stated by one of his biographers that his taste for the terrible in literature was fostered by his mother's love of the stories told in the

chapbooks of that age.

The mother of Genghis Khan was herself a soldier, and often accompanied her husband in his military expeditions, shar-

ing the fatigues of long and rapid marches and all the dangers of the battle. Macaulay had a good mother and revered her memory. He said, "In after life you may have friends—fond, dear friends—but never will you have again the inexpressible love and gentleness lav-ished upon you which none but a mother bestows."—St. Louis Globe-Damocrat.

ITALIANS CELEBRATE.

Declared. The Unusual Ceremony of the [Special dispatch to the Transcript.] BERLIN, Jan. 18.-Today, the twenty-Inauguration of fifth anniversary of the proclamation of the Flags.

GERMANY CELEBRATES TODAY

Twenty-Five Years Ago the Empire was

the German empire, was a holiday in Ber-

lin and other German cities. A decree

has been issued granting amnesty to civil-

ian prisoners equally with military offend-

ers who are undergoing sentences re-

quiring a payment of less than 150 marks

due or six weeks imprisonment. After a

speech by the emperor in the white hall,

he swore a solemn oath over a banner 200

years old to guard the empire's safety at

home and abroad upon the principles of

SUICIDE IN TROY.

Today.

Special Dispatch to the Transcript i

ham, ex-keeper of the county house, ex-

supervisor and member of the new court

house commission, shot and fatally

wounded himself this morning with a re-

volver. The bullet entered his right

ALREADY FOR ORDERS.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

LONDON. Jan. 18.—All the vessels com-

prising the flying squadron have arrived

GEN. CAMPOS GOES MONDAY.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

MADRID, Jan. 18 .- A dispatch from Ha-

vana says that Gen. Martinez Campos will

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

sented an ultimatum to China, demanding

FINANCIAL.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.-Depost, increase

\$5,162,450; loan decrease, \$4,250,200; specie increase, \$2,264,300; legal increase \$3,181,

900; deposit increase, \$1,135,000; currency

New York Market.
[Closing Quotations, 3 p. m.]
Received through the office of A. M. Tinker,
Room 3, Elackinton block. Executes orders for
stocks and bonds, deals upon New York Stock
Exchange for cash or on margin. Private telephone 75.

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Cots—May 10.30. July 23% 40.
Lard—May 16.87. July

Cotton.

MOTHERS OF GREAT MEN.

aculiar as that of her gifted son.

Wordsworth's mother had a character as

Raleigh said that he owed all his polite-

ness of deportment to his mother.

Milton's letters often allude to his

The mother of Anber, the composer of

French operag, had excellent taste in both music and fine arts.

excellence, and deeply impressed her own

individuality on the poet.

Roebuck said that the sweetest part of his life was his early childhood. "Heaven

Samue Johnson was not always an ex-mplary son, and late in life spoke regret-

fully of one or two acts of disobedience of

which he was guilty.

Garibaldi's mother was a tall, com-

is at the feet of a mother."

Southey's mother was a woman of rare

mother in the most affectionate terms.

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No. Pacific pref Pacific Mail Phil & Reading... Pullman

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the opening of the West river.

decrease, \$79,200.

PEKIN, Jan. 18.—Great Britain has pre-

troubles was the cause.

sail for Spain January 20.

off Spit Head.

TROY, N. Y., Jan. 18.-Calvin B. Dun-

one empire, one people and one God.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO BARON FAVA.

A Unique Event. A Concert with Some Excellent Features and Some Things to be Condemned. The Stirring Address By Dr. Roversi.

The Italian Mutual Aid society of this city and Italian residents of this city and county did themselves honor last night in their first event, the celebration of the inauguration of the society's flags. The exercises and entertainment, with the one exception of the work of Miss Bell Prominent Public Man Takes His Lile Gold, were of high order and creditable to the organization. The teaching of Dr. Roversi was elevating, the music was cheering and touching and the songs were emotional and lively. The event was one of importance to this community. It showed what a people not held in the highest estimation by the ordinary citizen can do. The whole attendance was most orderly, highly appreciative and in appearance equal to many gatherings that have filled from time to time the public halls of this place. Of course there temple. Despondency from business were indications of national characteristics, but the successful attempts at conforming to American customs proved the dominating idea of the people. If there were mistakes at last night's event it is pleasant to know they were mistakes for which the people under whose auspices the event occurred were not responsible. And if there were mistakes for which they were responsible they could be easily pardoned, for it was a first event by a heretofore unorganized and to some extent estracised people. This city should encourage the Italian Mutual Aid society as far as possible, for it is evident its sims are to higher citizenship and the advancement of the nationality which makes up ANOTHER ENGLISH ULTIMATUM

its membership.

Before the hour for the exercises to commence the society had a parade headed by the band of the Columbia Musical society of this city. The band men were in new uniform, and were bril-liant in their dark blue and gold. The band gave an open air concert in front of Odd Fellows hall in which the exercises were held and some minutes before 8 o'clock went into the hall. The hall was tastefully decorated. It was hung with bunting of Italian and American national colors and flags of these nations were arranged on the walls. Roses were part of the decorations and they were placed

to the best advantage.

When the hour for the commencement of the ceremony arrived the hall was pretty well filled. The orchestra from New York rendered several selections and n a few minutes the curtain rolled up. There was then upon the stage the American Italian and national flags and a num ber of members of the Aid society. President John Corsiglia said a few words of welcome and introduced the godfather and godmother of the flags, Miss Gandella of Adams and John F. Costa of Pittsfield.

Miss Gandella made an oration in Italian

Mr. Costa, godfather of the American
flag, spoke in English. Miss Gandella's expressions of loyalty to Italy and Mr. Costa's were concerning the eternal' relationship that it was hoped would exist between the United States and Italy. When these speakers finished the flags were raised from their stands and thereafter borne by men.

The orchestra then played a few strains of "Marching Through Geor-gia" and President Corsiglia introduced Dr. L. Roversi, editor of Ill Progresso Italio-Americane, of New York, the leading Italian news America. The doctor was the orator of of the evening and spoke eloquently, calling forth much applause and stirring his hearers to enthusiasm at times. He spoke of the great benefits of a mutual aid society and then considered the proper at-titude of the Italian in America to his adopted country. He went into the history of benevolent societies and pointed out that the society under whose suspices he had the honor to speak had its origin in the middle ages and was then but a kind of trade's union. He urged high respect for American laws and conformity to American customs, and showed the great desirability of being American citizens. The glory of Italy engaged his attention for some time and he then refered very patriotically to the defensive warfare being carried on in Africa by loval Italians with Abyssinians. He hoped the he society would send to Baron Fava at Washington, D. C., a telegram expressing ts sentiment regarding this struggle.

The doctor of course spoke in Italian was loudly cheered. Late in the night a telegram of which the following is translation was penned and sent to Washington:

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Jan. 17, 1896.

BARON FAVA, Italian Ambassador,

Washington, D. C. "The Italian Mutual Aid society of North Adams, Mass., celebrating the inauguration of the society's flags, sends to the Italian soldiers heroically fighting for the honor of their country in Africa their best wishes with hope that their arms will be crowned with victory."

The orchestra played Garibaldis march at the conclusion of the doctor's remarks and then rendered Margherita, composed by A. Camera, director of the musical society. This was followed by an overture, "Colombo," by the same author, a very pleasing composition which was finely rendered Mr. Camera directed the orhestra, and it responded to applause.

Then G. Santoro appeared and sang with ome dramatic effect "Ballo in Maschera," Verdi, with orchestra accompaniment. Mr. Santoro has a baritone voice and has more expression than power. He was

Mrs. Stopps-Remonde then sang "The Dear Dead Days" and was encored and sang "Marguerite" in English, Italian and French. She was much better in her lighter selections. She would be at home in a musical extravaganza A. Leguori gave as a flute solo "Ili Pas-

tore Soizzero," Rossini, and was encored and gave a picolo solo. He plays the picolo better than the flute, Miss Bell Gold, who can't sing, appeared

in flashy costume, short skirts, concert Continued on Third Page.

CHURCH NOTICES.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH-FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH-North Church street. Rev. George W. Brown, D. D., paster. Residence, No. 7 North Church street. Class meeting, 9.30 a. m. Morning ser-vice 10.30. Sunday school. 12 m. Junior. League meeting, 4.30 p. m. Class meetings, 6 p. 61. Revening service, 7. Byworth League meeting, Thosday evening at 7.30. Church prayer meet-ing Thursday evening at 7.30. Music, quartot and chorus cholt. R. A. Tower, organist and directors.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH-Main street. Bov. W. L. Tenney, pastor. Residence, No. 28 Church street. Morning service, 19.34. school, 13 m. Christian Endeaver meet-Sumay school, 13 m. Christian Endeaver meeting, 6.15 p. m. Breening service, 7. Women's meeting. Thursday at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.39. Music, chorus choir. George A. Mietzice, organist and director. ST. FRANCIS' ROMAN CATHOLAS CHURCH.

—Engle Street. Roy, Charles E. Barke, pastor; Tey. John C. Ivora and Ry. George Elym, askie-

Rev. John C. Ivers and Rev. George Flynn, ast Rev. John C. Ivers and Rev. George Fyrm: assistant pastors. Iterateme, No. 6: Eagle street.

Low Mass, 8 and 9.15 a.m. High Mass, 10.30 á.m. Sunday school, 2.30 p. m. Vespers and Benediction, 4 p. m. Music, chorus choir.

M. D. LeClair, organist and director.

CHURCH OF NOTRE DAME—East Main Street. Rev. Charles H. Jeannotte, pastor. Residence, No. 143 East Main Street. Mass, 8 and 9.15 and 19.15 and 19.15 Mass. 19.50 a.m. Sunday school 2

a. m. High Muss, 16.30 a. m. Sunday school, 2 p. m. Vespers, 4 p. m Mosic, chorus choir. Joseph Brodem, organist and director. ST. JOHN'S CHURCH—Summer street. Rev.

John C. Tehbetts, rector Residence, No. 28 Summer street. Sudday school, 10 a. m. Morning Prayer and sermon, 11. Evening Prayer and rmon, 7. Holy Communion every Sanday a 7.96 p. m., excepting first Sunday of each mouth, when it is held at 11 a. m. Friday evening service, 7.90. Music, vested aboir. J. K. Smith, organist and director.

SECOND ADVENT CHURCH—Chestnut street. Rev. H. J. Gondey, pastor. Residence, No. 78 East Quincy street. Morning service 10.39.

No. 78 East Quincy street. morning service .0.28 Sunday school, 12 m. Rvening service, 7. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.20. FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Main street. Rev. F. D. Penney, pastor. Residence, No. 24 Church street. Prayer meeting, 9.20 a. m. Preaching service, 10.30. Sunday achool, 12 m. Junior B. Y. P. U. prayer meeting, 6 p. m. Evening service, 7. Young promise's meeting. Tuesday ing service, 7. Young people's meeting, Tuesday evening, 7,39. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening, 7,39. Music, Cherus choir, David Boberts, organist and directur.
FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—Summer

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH street. Rev. A. B. Church, pastor, Residence, No. 43 Church street. Morning service, 19.30. Sunday school, 12 m. Evening service, 7. Y. P. C. U. praise and devotional service, 8 p. m. Thursday evening prayer meeting, 7.30. Music, quartet. Jesse Hadfield, organist and director. YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

-Corner of Summer and Merris streets. Arthu -Corner of Summer and Marris streets. Arthur J. Davis, general secretary, Building open week days from 9 a. m. to 9.30 p. m.; Sunday from 2.30 to 5.30 p. m. Eoys' service Sunday at 2.15 p. m., Music by the Boys' orchestra. Men's meeting Sunday at 4 p. m. SALVATION ARMY—Barracks on Eagle street. Miss Munting, captain. Residence, No. 5 Lincoln street. Sunday services 7 and 11 a. m.,

and 3 and 5 p. m. bervices during the week every evening except Tuesday.

HOUSE OF ISRAEL+Prances street, near State street. Solomon Ratner, rabbi. Regular services Saturday from 8 to 10 a.m.

UNIVERSALIST.

The subject of Rev. A. B. Church's morning sermon will be "What John the Baptist Taught." The subject of the evening sermon will be "The Measuring Line." The subject to be considered at the young people's meeting at 8 p. m. will be "Cities of Refuge."

ADVENT CHAPEL

The revival services in progress at the Chestnut street chapel will continue over Sunday and onward, including Saturday evening. A lecture will be delivered Sunday at 10.80 a.m., from a prophetical chart by the pastor, Rev. H. J. Goudy. H. W. Hewitt will conduct the evening service. All are welcome. CONGREGATIONAL.

The usual service in the morning. In the evening Rev. Mr. Tenney will deliver the fifth of a series of lectures on "Heroes of Faith." Subject, "John Knox."

METHODIST.

Rev. M. Y. Boyard will preach morning and evening. The special services will be continued every evening next week expast week have been well attended and successful. Rev. Mr. Bovard, who has assisted the pastor, will remain another

Rev. George Bullen, D. D., of Newton Theological seminary will preach in the morning. In the evening both he and

Rev. Mr. Penney will be heard. Rev. F. D. Penney will preach at the Union church in Blackinton at 2.15 o'clock p. m. The men's prayer meeting at 6 p. m.

will be led by C. W. Dennett.

ST. JOHN'S.

Smith N. Allen, city missionary, will speak at St. John's church temorrow evening at 7 o'clock on his work at the odging house and the Rescue mission be very explicit, and those who hear him will be given a clear insight into the work. The public will be cordially wel-

OFFICERS INSTALLED.

Clan Mointyre Had a Pleasant Gathering Last Evening.

The recently elected officers of Clar McIntyre were installed at St. Jean Baptiste hall last evening by Grand Secretary Peter Kerr of Boston, assisted by F. H. Whitlaw of this city. About eighty mem bers of the clan were present and four new members were initiated.

After the exercises of installation ar excellent program of music and speaking was carried out. A fine spread was served by H. G. Brown of the New York studio and a genuine good time was enjoyed until a late hour.

Grand Secretary Kerr paid the clan high compliment, saying that its growth had been the most rapid of any clan in the country and that it is now the fifth largest clan in the United States.

Still Dangerously III.

Lemuel Pomeroy is still in a very critical condition at a hospital in New York city. Word was received to that effect by A. Archer this morning in a lette from Mr. Pomercy's father, who is with him. His recovery is not expected by the

-There was a narrow escape from a serious fire at the home of Leonard Theyer on Hudson street the other even ing. A lamp dropped from a table to the By lively work the blaze was subdued without calling out the fire department The loss, amounting to about \$25, is cov ered by insurance through Tinker's

IMPORTANT ARRESTS FOUND

Made this Morning by Officers Near the Five Wife With Another Roads. Мап.

THREE YOUNG MEN IN A SHANTY. THE PAIR ARRESTED THIS MORNING

Long Search Results Successfully at Last. Evidently a Den of Thioves. The Prisoners Taken to Jali to Await Trial,

Peter Hutchinson, 17, and John Hayes, 20, were before the court this morning charged with sugrancy and were held under bonds in the sum of \$200 each for trial Wednesday morning.

Nicholas Nestor, 21, was arraigned on a charge of disturbing the peace and was hold under a like sum until the same date. The capture of these young men is an important one and was effected early this morning under unusual circumstances The police had been looking for them for some time, and several times they have been seen, but managed to escape before the officers could track them. A few days ago the officers learned that they were in the habit of sleeping in a shanty, and nightly raids have been made on several shantles in this vicinity without success. until last night when it was learned

there was a shanty near Five Roads and it was the decided to make the place a visit. Consequently about 2 o'clock this morning Officers Parrow, Daniels and Dineen drove to the Five Roads and approached the shanty. They found the door securely fastened, but they broke down the door and entered without ceremony. Their search was successful, for there they found the three young men, who had been sleeping soundly, widely awakened by the unwelcome presence of the officers. The young men were surprised to see the officers, but escape was impossible and they were secured with hand cuts and

taken to the police station, They have been occupying their shanty for some time and it was fitted for their use, and a bright fire was burning which supplied heat for their apartment. The importance of the arrest lies in the fact that the young men are suspected of having been connected with the many petty robberies that have been committed here recently, and at least one of them was the Y. M. C. A. building on the night the gloves were stolen. Several pairs of gloves were found in the shanty and a silk muffler was found in Hayes' pocket. The trio was taken to Pittsfield on the noon train today, where they will await trial Wednesday morning, when the charge of larceny will probably be preferred against them.

Adjourned Meeting.

At the adjourned annual meeting of the Congregational church Thursday evening Col. John Bracewell and R. L. Chase were elected members of the church committee and W. W. Richmond was chosen a member of the music committee. A descon is to be chosen soon, and D. A. Anderson and T. W. Sykes were placed in nomnation for this office. The relief commit-tee elected is composed of Mrs. F.P. Pearson, Mrs. W. F. Darby, Mrs. T. W. Sykes and D. J. Barber. There is talk of consolidating the church and society, and James E. Hunter and D. J. Barber were appointed a committee to prepare a report on the question to be submitted to a future meeting. An amendment to the constitution was adopted making deacons insligible to re-election until one year from the expiration of their terms.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

-Mrs. Merrill Whitney entertained a whist norty Friday avening. Charles Brainard won first prize and Wells Darby the booby. -At the joint meeting of the G. A. R.,

Woman's Relief corps and Sons of Veterans last night the charter for the post was considered and a pleasant social time was -James Mahar, John H. Mahoney and

Michael O'Brien attended the F. M. T. A. county convention held in Lee yesterday and today. They went as delegates from the Blackinton society.

—District Deputy H. W. Larabee will

install the officers of Housatonic lodge No. 189, A. O. U. W., at Housatonic Mon day evening and Tuesday evening he will install the officers of Greylook lodge, No. 89, at Adams.

E. L. Ashman, pianist, is in brisk de mand this winter to play for dancing parties. He has been called to Williamstown several times and is also doing consider able work in this city. Mr. Ashman is now arranging music for the orchestra, to be played at the Columbia minstrel enter-

-After February I, Superintendent Hall will occupy the rooms set apart in the city hall for the superintendent of schools Mrs. Lenox, the assistant of Mr. Hall will also have her desk there. The rooms are being fitted and when completed they will be a credit to our schools as well as to

our new city.

The invitation to be present at the meeting in St. John's parish hall next Tuesday evening is extended to all ladies in this city and vicinity, and it is hoped, as seems probable, that the meeting will be well attended. The topics to be considered are such as well informed women desire to be thoroughly convers ant with. Talks on the subject of physical culture for women by a woman, who has had such opportunities for learning of the most approved methods as are offered by the Emerson college of oratory, of Boston, should be not only instructive but of great practical value.

To clean hamboo furniture use a brush dipped in salt water.

The eyes should be bathed every night

in cold water just before retiring, and they will do better work the following

When very tired, He on the back, allow ing every muscle to relax, letting the hands go any way they will, and keep the If you have to sew all day, change your

asionally and so obtain rest. Bathing the face and hands will also stimulate and refresh. Where it is desirable to see the tongue of a very small child the object may be ac-

child to produce its tungue.

A Deserted Husband Finds His

Arraigned in Court, They Plead Not Guilty. Have Seen Living as Husband and Wife, The Deserted Husband's Story, Defendants Under Bonds.

George F. Hardy of the firm of Parker Hewitt & Co., machinists in Hoosac court and Mrs. Louise Eiton were arrested at 2 o'clock this morning at their rooms in the Tower & Porter block by officers Parrow and Daniels on the charge of adultery The warrants were made out on complaint of George H. Elton of Hartford, Conn. Both of the accused persons pleaded not guilty to the charge preferred against them in court this morning. Special Justice Phelps, who was on the beach this morning, continued the cases until Monday and put the defendants under \$500 bonds each, which amount they both secured,

Mr. Elton was seen by a reporter and the following in substance was learned from him: He and Louise Elton were ago at a musquerade ball in Springfield Mrs. Elton met George Hardy, who was traveling for a Boston firm. Mr. Elton had seen Mr. Hardy but once which was shortly after that occasion in Springfield, until he met him in the police station this

morning.
Mr. Elton said his wife had in her own name \$1800 and wished to go to California for her health. Last August was the time decided upon for her departure and she left her home and husband ostensibly for the sunny chime of California. Nothing was heard from her by her husband, who oon surmised her motive in leaving him. He made no effort to find her until recent-ly, and his first visit to North Adams, made yesterday, resulted in his locating his wife, who was living here under the name of Mrs. George Hardy.

Mr. Elton feels very sore over the mat ter, as can be imagined, yet is inclined to be lienent. His only desire is that his wife and Hardy shall not live together. Mr. Hardy says he was married to Mrs Elton, but retused to say when and where the ceremony took place.

IT WAS NOT EXPECTED.

Arthur J. Davis Resigns as General Sec-retary of the Y. M. C. A.

An announcement was made today which will be received with much surprise. It is the ignation of Arthur J. Davis, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Davis decided upon this step sev eral weeks ago, and when he so informed the directors of the association a com-mittee was appointed from that board to wait upon him with the intention of inducing him, if possible, to withdraw his resignation This, however, he declined

Mr. Davis assumed his duties as general secretary about a year ago, at a time when the association was in a state bordering on decline. By his earnest and persisten efforts he has succeeded, with the hearty co-operation of the board of directors, in awakening a new interest in the Y.M.C.A.. and for his successful endeavors he is deserving of much praise and credit,

The association is now, it may be stated, on the road to a successful career, and while Mr. Dayis regrets, for many reasons, his departure from the local field the change which he is contemplating will be a pleasant one for him in a number of ways. He has already received calls from various associations in this state and the one which he is considering most seriously is the secretaryship of the associa-

tion at Marlboro.

During Mr. Davis' residence in this city he has made many friends who, while they will learn of his intended departure with regret, will extend to him their hearty good wishes for a successful future

wherever he may decide to locate. The resignation will take affect the first

of February.

No one has been secured for the posttion, but an effort will be made to engage a successor before Mr. Davis goes away.

NEW SCHOOL SCHEDULE. Several Important Changes Have Been Made by Superintendent Hall.

Superintendent Hall has completed revised schedule of the terms in the nubic schools. There will be three terms in the year of thirteen weeks cach. The present term will close March 13. ew term will commence Monday, March school term will not end until June 27. The fall term will begin September S and and December 5. The time of the spring vacation has been changed from the customary two weeks in March to later in the season. This year the spring vaca-The atteration in the spring vacation was made for a number of reasons. weather in April is much inflder than in March and scholars will be enabled to be out of doors more. From the financial point of view the change is to be desired, for no fires will have to be kept during the later vacation. The teachers will be better satisfied, as their vacation will come when other schools are closed. The spring term has been shortened by the new schedule and it is believed this will be an agreeable change.

A BUSY WEEK.

To Attend Important Meetings in Boston and New York. Next week will be a bush and pleasant

one for L. M. Barnes. He will go to Bos ton Monday and in the evening will at tend a meeting of the New England Optical association, at which matters of interest to the profession will be discussed Tuesday afternoon Mr. Barnes will attend the annual meeting of the State Jewelers' association. From Boston Mr. Barnes will go to New York, where he will attend Thursday evening, by special invitation, the seventh annual dinner of the New York Jewelers' Board of Trade. This will be a very claborate affair and a most complished by touching the upper lip with enjoyable occasion. Mr. Ba a bit of awest oil, which will cause the pating a very pleasant time. enjoyable occasion. Mr. Barnes is antici-

"THE LONGEST POLE REACHES THE PERSIMMON."

But it isn't the largest advertisement that strikes the busy buyer. A short Ad. at a short price with married seven years ago at her home in New Haven, Conn., where they resided a good name behind it-that "knocks the persimmon."

> We have the best at \$10.00. We guarantee there is no better in the city at \$12.00.

C. H. CUTTING & CO.

> WHOLESALE RETAILERS.

SAMUEL CULLY&CN JANUARY SALE. Kid Glove Department

Prices reduced to lowest possible price. BARGAINS,

25c One lot of Kid Gloves in sives 5 1-2 and 5 8-4 at

25 dozen 5-hook Foster Lacing Kid Gloves, this

season's importations, marked down from \$1 and \$1.25 to 79c. An exceptional bargain, 15 dozen Ladies' Kid Mittens, regular price she 21 and 21.50, January Sale price to

12 1-2c 25 doren L. de l'Ca hmere Gloves in black and

ans, regular pra e 25c, . A nuary Sal - price 12 1 4 25c

40 dozen Pine German Cashme to Gloves, never old at less than eye, January Sale price only 250 Hosiery, Underwear.

We have got a bigger stock of Hosiery and Underwear than we intended to have at this time. The only thing we can do is to Close out entire lot at prices Below the Lowest. Read

12 1-2c

15 dozen Children's Fleeced Jersey Vests, heavy weight, regular price was 25c, sale price 12 1-20. You can't buy them elsowhere at twice the price

12 1-2c 10 dozen Children's Gray mixed Panta and ests, regular price 25c. January sale price 12 1-26

2) dozen Seys' Natural Wool Yests and Fanta, ness 18 to 34, regular price was 350 to 50c. Janua

15 dozen Children's Fleece-lined Vests and Pants, Sizes 16 to 34, price 15c for size 16, 5c raise on each size Our great bargain.

15 doren Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Union Suits, egular piice has been 62 1-20 we will offer them

Ladies' Jersey Vosts and and Pante, would be bargain at 37 1-2c, we will tell at Die

Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests and Pants, almo-old at 50c January sale price only 37 1-2c,

50c 10 dozen superior quality Ladies, Ribbed Vesus and Pants, regular price 6: 1-2c, we offer them

Twenty five dozen Ladies' Fine White Woolen. Vesis and Pants, were \$1 and \$1.25, we will make a low price at 75c and \$1 15c Children's Heave Rebied Woolen Hose, sizes 51 2 to 8 1-2. You have pate 23c a pair for something no better, and we have never sold them

r less than 18c. January price 15c

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The Transcript.

DAILY—Issued every afternoon (except for days) at four o'clock. WEEKLY-Imped every Wednesday morning.

TRANSCRIPT PUBLISHING COMPANY.

TRANSCRIPT BULDING, BANK STREET. NORTH ADAMS, MASS. I know not what record of sin avails me in the other world; but this I do know, that I never was

to mean as to despise a man because he was pour because he was ignorant, or becouse he was black -John A. Andrew.

Entered at the Post Office, North Adams, Mass.

IS THE COUNTRY FAIR IN DANGER?

In his address to the Bay State Agricult tural society President French said, in reference to the last fair held by the organization, that "in dollars and cents the exhibition did not pay, and yet everything was done that a joint committee (with all the experience of other fairs). of both societies could do to make it a success;" yet it proved that "the people, however, for whom the fair was gotten up and for whose benefit it was largely inaugurated did not respond in the num

"The question arises, are the people tired of fairs, or what is the matter? Our condition is not peculiar. The same cry, lack of attendance, has gone up from other societies in different parts of the country. Either the fair business is being overdone, or else the people want something in its place, which, perhaps, we have not yet discovered. What is it? The society which finds that out, will, for a time at least, be successful. The agricultural fair to be successful nowsdays must either have a surplus in the treasury to meet deficiencies, or have state aid, or else go into the circus business and become a competitor with the dime

country fair's status, and taken by high authority. Has it come to this, that our fairs must be veritable side shows or traveling variety theatres in order to survive? We don't believe it. We cannot draw

any such conclusion from tocal history. The people of this town, for instance, yet desire once a year to see an "oldfashioned" country fair, where the farmer and stock-breeder and manufacturer and merchant and housewife may show their wares. And they do not want this annual exhibit degraded by the cheap and flashy "attractions" of the city bummer. This fact was very strongly emphasized in this

If the country fair in Massachusetts is in danger of going out, it is because the real country fair has ceased to be. It has become too "city-fied." People do not like this tendency. When they go to a country fair they want to go to a country

be only too glad once a year to go out to our fair grounds and see what the country" has to show. And these, with the country folk who come to town on that occasion always, will assure support

country fair, one of the most enjoyable institutions of our old New England, is yet doomed. We believe that the sentiment of the people of Massachusetts in this matter, if expressed, would be: "Long live the country fair."

Of the supreme court judge who is expected to give "Bat" Shea a new trial, the Albany Journal says: "Stephen J. Mayham is seventy years old or thereabouts, and this is his last year upon the bench of the supreme court. He can expect no future preferment at the hands of the Democratic or any other party. He is an old line Schoharie county Democrat, and as he has nothing to hope for in the order for a now trial for BartholomewShea. The opportunity is now presented him to quit office like a man, and not as an accomory to save Shea through a "fake" confession. Judge Mayham knows full again to convict Shea, as no jury could now be drawn in Troy which would not contain Shea sympathizers. If Judge Mayham grants a new trial on the filmsy confession of McGough, he will probably defeat the ends of justice and restore to the repeater and thug his former confi-

We have heard much about the rice growing richer and the poor poorer, but such does not seem to be the case in this state. It is shown by the official statistics that in a given 1,000 of the people of Massachusetts there are now more individuals possessed of moderate and fair-sized estates than ever before, and that the average size of such estates is more than double what it was sixty years ago.—Berkshire Courier.

When we get paved streets! When we get a city park! When we get Old Fort Massachusetts restored! When we get some fit railroad service from the Boston & Albany! When we get all knit to-gether in love and affection in this Hoone valley from Adams to Pownal, what a city we will be!

When the United States House of Representatives cheers a chaplain's prayer for the Cuban insurgents, as was the case yesterday, it means that the sympathies of this country are with the so-called "rebels" who are pressing on to the gates of Ha-

Is any one with less than finite wisdom

tion in mind when he struck the patriotic Monroe cord till it vibrated and echoed like a German band in a Hudson hollow

Mr. McKinley has a sleeping volcand under his canvass for the presidency. It is called Foraker, and it is liable to explode at any time. It isn't mere talk that comes from Ohlo concerning the hostility between the two Ohio "blg men." It's true

Troy is reaching out to incorporate within itself West Troy and Green Island. Albany county says no. West Troy and Green Island will probably be made a city of themselves by the present New York

The Populists will held their national conventional July 22. This will be the preparatory meeting for a bigger funeral, (if minorities make bigness) than the one be arranged at Chicago, July 7.

President Eliot of Harvard college has politely called Miss Susan B. Anthony a liar. It has all come of some of President Eliot's views of women teachers and female suffrage.

The voice of every pulpit in the land tomorrow ought to go up against the unspeakable Turk. There isn't time to pray for him now. It is time to pray against

The Spanish commander in Cuba has been called home. The Cubans were too much for him. Is this the beginning of the end of Spanish rule in Cuba?

The Berkshire Cotton Manufacturing company of Adams has petitioned the legislature for leave to increase its capital stock to \$2,000,000.

That engagement is announced, and ex-President Harrison is to marry Mrs. Dimmick. May they live long and prosper!

What is that flying squadron for? What are these reports of fresh British aggressions in Venezuela?

Please, Mr. J. Bull, don't come this way with that squadron of battle ships. We won't like it a bit.

Is that English flying squadron comins to the Bermudas? What for?

If England stirs this country up again it will mean business, that's all.

"Slower than molasses in January,"the United States senate.

THE EDITOR'S SHEARS.

FOR TODAY.

AS GOD SEES IT. We grow cold with a chill of dismay, We grow hot with a powerless rage, When we think on the shames of our day, When we challenge the wrongs of on

But shames must be felt to be such, And the wrongs have been damned over-

Twould go ill if they fied at our touch, As God sees it, What if Labor does beg at the gate?

What if Capital snatches his cruste? And lobbyists sell out the State, And communists menace with "trusts"? It is set thee the poor to defend, To make wealth humanity's friend, To make pure legislation an end, As God sees it.

From the blood of Narcissus sprang flowers. From the teeth of the dragon grew men,

And this glorious straining of powers Must bring re-creation again. For strength comes from fighting the

strong, And worth comes from righting the

And Strife sings th Tyrtaeau song, As God sees it.

...The Independent.

ON PLEASURE BENT.

Lewis Perkins and Son to Journey to a Southern Climate.

Lewis Perkins and his son Mahlon have made delightful winter trips to the South for several years past, and this winter they will take a trip which will excite the envy of not a few. They will start Monday next for a journey to Mexico. After sailing from New York city on the Vigilancia, of the Ward steamship line, their first landing place will be Havana, Cuba, where they will remain only one day. From there they will go to Progresse, then to Campeche, a large town in Yucatan, and from there to Vers Cruz, Mexico. There they will leave the ship and proceed to the city of Mexico, where they will stop

two weeks or more. They will next tratel about 800 miles through the country, reaching the Gulf coast at Tampico. There they will again take ship for the return voyage, calling at the same places as on the outward trip.
The entire distance traveled will be 5000 miles, and they will be away from New York city about two months, Mr. Perking has on previous voyages remembered his North Adams friends by sending a letter to them through the TRANSCRIPT and such communications have been read with much pleasure by every one.

Deserved Recognition.

Miss Rose McWilliam, for two years aseistant superintendent at the hospital, and who recently resigned, has been appointed superintendent of the hospital at Peakskill, N. Y. Miss McWilliams proved herself very efficient in her duties at the North Adams hospital and is perfectly competent to discharge the new duties which she has taken upon herself.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Miss Florence Canedy of Pleasant street left today for Boston, and during her stay there she will attend her class reunion of Bradford academy, which will be held in the Thorndike hotel next week. Dr. Gadsby of the high school was in

Springfield yesterday visiting the public W. E. Draper and Miss Jennie Whit ney, who have been in Boston for a week,

are expected home today.

A. A. Shippell of Rowe was in this city yesterday visiting his son, Herbert Ship. pell of Church street.

David Haziett of Boston, a former well known resident of this city, is calling on friends here for a few days.

nearly two weeks.

Mr. Booth, the New York organist, will be the guest of W. A. Whitaker while in

TRAVELLER'S GUIDE.

Fitchburg Hailroad. Corrected Dec. 18, 1895.

Trains Leave North Adams going East-21.87, 15.18, 7.28, 2.58, 11.46 m. m.; 2.22, 14.10 cl.00 p. m. Going West-7.30, 10.08 a. m.; 12.20, 1.24, 5.00 18.06, 11.46, 02.38, 07.40 p. m. Trains Arrive from East—10.08 s. et.; 12.10, 1.24, 5.00, 18.05, 11.48, 02.59 p. m.

West-\$1.57, 15.18, 7.28, 9.58, 11.44, 2.55, 24.10, 7.00 p. m. grad p. m. Buns Daily, except Monday. Runs Daily, Sunday included. Bundays only.

Beston & Albany Bailroad. Trains Leave North Adams, Going South—5.20, 9.85 a. m.; 12.15, 5.00, 6.05 p. m.

Trains Arrive from South—4,20 a. m.; 19.65, 2.35, 6.50, 9.10 p. m.

Hoosac Valley Street Railway.

Leave North Adams—6, 10, 7, 7,45, 8,38, 9,15, 1) 10,45, 11,30 a. m.; 12,15, i, 1,46, 2,80, 8,15, 4,46, 5,50, 6,16, 7, 7,45, 8,30, 9,15 p. m. 16 to Lylonite only. I cave Adams—5.36, 6.10, 7, 7.45, 8.30, 8.15, 10, 10.45, 11,30 a. m., 12.16, i. 1.45, 2.89, 8.1s, 4.45, 5.80, 6.15, 7, 7.46, 8.80, 8.10 p. 42, 11 o'clock to Zylonita coniy.

Esturday and Sunday afternoons, leave each end at 1, 1.2ft, 1.4o, 2.4o, 2.8d, 2.5d, 2.15, 3.5d, 4.20, 4.4o, 505, 5.3d, 5.5d, 5.0d, 6.16, 5.4c, 7, 7.2d, 7.4s, 5.4c, 8.8d, 8.5d, 9.16, 5.4c, 1.10, 20 to 2.3d end; 6.2d e

Sunday cars will be run to suit convenience of church attendants.

Mtages.

Run Dally, except Sundays. NORTH ALAMS AND WILLIAMSTOWN.

THOMAS McManon, Proprietor. Leave Richmond House, North Adams, 8.39 t m.; 72.15, 2.46, 5 p. m., and, Saturdays, 9.10 p. m. Leave Madhahon's Habble, Williamstown, 5.19 t.t., 11 a. m.; 1.45 p. m., and, baturdays, 9 p. m.

NORTH ADAMS AND RHADSBORD J. E. FAULENBE, Proprietor. Leave Post Office, North Adams, 1.80 p. m.

Leave Post Office, Readshore, 8 a. m.

TO THE UNEMPLOYED OR THOSE WANTING HELP.

Knowing that there are many persons seeking employment, both men and women, in our city, duriug these hard winter months, both skilled labor and ordinary domestic help, and believing that in many cases employers would be glad to know where such help can be obtained, we have decided to publish in the Daily Transcript the winter advertisoments of Situations Wanted or Help Wanted Free of Charge.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

-The W. R. C. is arranging to hold a social and dance in Gatslick's hall Monday evening, the 27th. -A parish mass meeting will be held at

the Universalist church Tuesday evening to consider the financial policy of the -District Deputy Grand Chancellor B. S. Kemp of the Knights of Pythias will go to Dalton Wednesday evening secom-

nied by his suite, to install the officers of the Dalton lodge,
—Secretary Davis of the Y.M.C.A. will conduct two meetings in Dalton tomorrow. In the afternoon he will lead the

Y. M. C. A. meeting and in the evening the Epworth league meeting. The inquest to ascertein the cause of the death, in the tunnel Monday, of Dennis O'Leary, one of a section gang employed there, will be held either Monday or Tuesday in the court room by Judge

-A rehearsal of the war drams to be given next week by the Sons of Veterans will be held this evening at 7.80 o'clock in Columbia opera house. The rehearsals are progressing finely and the production

will be well put on. -Dr. A. G. Potter, the cattle inspector for Northern Berkshire, is making the annual round among the dairy stock of this vicinity. A number of herds have been inspected and the general condition

-A very pleasant evening was passed by about thirty couples who assembled in the rooms of the Richmond Artillery social club last evening. Dancing was enjoyed to music furnished by four pieces from Clapp's orchestra and refreshments were served at the Intermis-

-Mr. Stratton, of the firm of Graves & Stratton, Greenfield, will arrive from the west Monday with a car load of horses and will hold an auction Wednesday, the 22d at the Richmond house stables, at which time a quantity of blankets, fur robes, harness, whips, etc., will also be disposed of. Full particulars may be found in the advertising columns.

—Miss Eliza E. Hall of Lansingburgh,

N. Y., is expected to sing in the Congregatiynal church tomorrow at both morning and evening service. Miss Bowen of Bennington, Vt., will not sing here again, unless it be for a single Sunday some time during February, as she goes to Brooklyn March 1 to reside permanently. There she intends to pursue vocal study under a competent instructor and to fit herself for a musical career.

-About fifty couples were present at the F. M. T. A. cadeta' social held in the society rooms last evening. Follett and Carlow furnished excellent time for the dancers and Mr. Foliatt's prompting was very good. After seven of the fifteen had been ended an intermission was taken and a fine spread prepared by the cadets was served. The proceeds of the dence will amount to nearly \$50, which will be a welcome addition to the fund for

buying a new uniform and equipments.

—Miles R. Bracewell, our popular local basso, who is in New York at present studying voice culture with Frederic Bristol, one of the most successful instructors in that city, will sing here on the 28th in the concert to be given under Mr. Mietzke's direction in the Congregational church. Mr. Bracewell's selection will be the aria from Wagner's Tannhauser, "O Thou Sublime, Sweet Evening Star," and a jolly song by Perlet, entitled, "St. An-

thony's Sermons." —The German and leap year party held in Pythian hall last evening was largely attended and proved a very delightful ffair. Miss Annie Watt of Holden street had the direction of the party and conducted it creditably. Brown and Messier furnished the music and the twenty-two dances kept the gathering busy, until after midnight. The ladies were the escorts and devotees for the evening and they assumed their odd and novel part of

the affair with much grace.Mme Montieth, the dramatic sourance Cashler Wilkinson is expected to be out again Monday morning. An attack of follows by the Evening Post of Wercester, grip has confined him to his home for where she was one of the festival prima donnas two years ago. "After her second number she responded to the enthusiastic encore and sang "Somebody." She touched every heart and faces smiled or

eyes grew moist at her own sweet will. Her voice is pure and sweet and of great compass and emable of great depth of tenderness and dramatic expression. In this lies its chief charm, while its ally, her face, is in complete harmony with

-Admission to the stereopticon Japan lecture Monday night is put at the popular prices of twenty-five cents for adults and fifteen cents for children. This an opportunity for North Adams people to get a clear insight into the life and institutions of Japan. Not to be conversant with the affairs of Japan is not to be nformed today. In commerce, modern improvements and inventions she is the America of the far east. Dr. Perrin studied these people in their homes for nearly five years. Go and learn of them at the Universalist church Monday night.

New England Briefs. Turk's Head Inn stables at Bookport,

Mass., were destroyed by fire, with con-tents. Blackstone (Mass.) valley probably will have two electric railways before the year

Yale undergraduates are eager to enter

their crew against the four college crews sireadly matched. Webb & Briggs, general merchants, of Winthrop, Me., have assigned. Liabilities are placed at \$15,000.

Allie Cornell, stepson of Myron Fish of Bristol, R. I., is missing, as is also \$800 in money from his stepfather's residence. Mrs. Julia Murphy, under arrest at lynn, Mass., unsuccessfully tried to com-Lynn, Mass., unsucce

mit suicide by hanging with a trunk strap The Cambridge (Mass.) city government passed resolutions on the death of Charles Theodore Russell, the "war mayor"

George Reynolds caught his foot in a railroad frog at Nashua, N H., and could not extricate it; and he was run down by train. Both legs were cut off and he bled to death.

Theodore C Bates of Worcester, Mass., asks the supreme court to grant a pre liminary injunction to restrain an auction sale of bonds of the Iron Mountain Ore

and Foundry company.

At Concord, N. H., John Moran and Charles Fairfield were found guilty of breaking and entering a postoffice. Moran was sentenced to five years and Fair-field to 4½ years in the state prison.

The deadlock over the election of a city marshal in the Gloucester (Mass.) b of aldermen is broken, and ex-Mayor Parsons was chosen Parsons is an old temperance warhorse, and while mayor personally superintended raids on illegal Kijas C. Benedict of Greenwich, Conn.,

has brought suit in the United States circult court at New York for an accounting for 2000 shares of Williamsburg Gas Light company stock, which the complainant alleges were obtained from him through misrepresentation, and were not used for the purpose for which he delivered them.

Meeting Not Improbable.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.-The return of Commandant Herbert H. Booth of the Salvation Army from London to this country last night is likely to create trou-ble before long among the officers and the rank and file of that religious organization in the United States. It is said that if Herbert succeeds in supplanting his older brother, Ballington Booth, in taking charge of the Salvation Army here, public meetings will be held to protest against the change. And it is further at-leged that Herbert is disliked by the 2000 officers and 80,000 soldiers in this country. On the other hand, Commander Ballington Booth, who has been recalled to London by General Booth, is a favorite with both officers and men, and if the order is not reconsidered, a general mutiny in the army is most likely to occur. Herbert Booth said that he had crossed the ocean on official business, and he had no intimation that any changes would be made in the army in the United States before next

Quite Exclusive.

BERLIN, Jan. 18 .- All the German sovereigns will grant a limited pardon today to criminals upon the occasion of the celebration of the anniversary of the proclamation of the empire. The emperor will con-fer many distinctions. An inquiry has been ordered into the breach of secrecy by The Vorwaerts in prematurely publishing the emperor's decree. The public will be excluded from all share in the court fetes, and even the representatives of the press will not be admitted. The people must be satisfied with the stiff, official accounts to be given in The Official Gazette. At the review in front of the Opera House even the usual stand for spectators is pro-

Dunrayen Let Down Easy.

NEW YORK, Jan 18 -A member of the New York Yacht club, who is in a posi-tion to know, says that the report of the committee that have investigated Lord Dunraven's charges covers about 100 pages. While the decision is adverse to Lord Dunrayen, it censures him only mildly for bringing the charges. This, it is said, is not satisfactory to most of the members of the club, who feel very bitter against the Valkyrie's owner.

An Appeal For Hammond.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—General N. H. Harris of this city received a cable from Harris of this city received a case from E. A. Wiltz, dated London, Jan. 17, which reads as follows: "Hammond in solitary confinement; position most criti-cal. Others all right. Strong domand on United States government in his behalf necessary forthwith." It will appear that the South African republic has some special grievance against John Hammond, judging by this cablegram.

Knight of the Maccabees.

The State Commander writes us from Lincoln, Neb., as follows: "After trying other medicines for what seemed a very obstinate cough in our two children w tried Dr. King's New Discovery and at the end of two days the cough entirely left them. We will not be without it hereafter as our experience proves that it cure where all other remedies fall."-Signed F. W. Stevens, State Com.-Why not give this great medicine a trial, as it is guaranteed and trial bottles are free at Burlingame & Darby's drug store. Regular size 50c. and \$1.00.

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TOWN TALK.

Auction Sale. Memrs. Graves & Stratton, well known

and respected business men of Greenfield declare that the anction sale of horses harnesses, blankets and robes at the Richmond house stables, Wednesday, January 22, will be conducted strictly and absolutely as stated in their advertise-ment which appears in another column of

this issue. As everything will positively be sold to the highest bidder, without regard to cost, the owners reserving only the right to stop the sale, and as the homes and goods are warranted to be as represented many chances to pick up a pargain will undonbtedly be offered.

A Card.

To the people of North Adams: I have appointed Mr. A. L. Briggs as agent for me in this vicinity for Mahan's Hair Preservative. This preservative stops the hair from falling out, puts the calp in a healthy condition and cures fever of the scalp. The following business men of this city have used my preparation and I refer you to them:

J. E. Miller, 65 Main street. J. A. Bond, Wilson house. Dr. F. A. Bragg, Kimball block.

These gentlemen have used my prepara-tion and can recommend it. This notice is for the benefit of those people who said to me that they had rather see it tried before purchasing. Respectfully,
ARTHUR J. MAHAN, Propr.

W. L. Potter, North Adams Savings

A. L. Briggs, Agent, Jones' block, North

To Advertisers.

New advertisements or changes of advertisements for DARLY TRANSCRIPT must be received not inter than 9 e'clock a. m. to insure insertion same day

For WEEKLY TRANSCRIPT new advertisements or change must be received not later than 12 o'clock Wednesday, to insure insertion the same week.

FEMALE HELP WANTED,

Two Competent Chambermaids. Apply at Wilson house hotel office. 10 RENT.

Tenement. Inquire 20 Summer St. Tenement. Inquire 20 Summer St.

Store, 22 State St. Inquire of T. Collins.

Six-room tenement on Porter St. Inquire
of T. W. Richmond, agent, 31 State St.

Eight-room tenement with all modern improvements. St per month. Inquire at
Beer & Dowlin's law office room 11 Martin's
block.

block.

Four desirable temements with all modern improvements \$10 to \$30 per month.
Inquire of M. R. Dowlin, 11 Pleasant St. Photograph gallery. Inquire at Kearn's drug store, 89 East e St. 1621 A Tenement. B. J. Boland.

Gold skutland keys pin. Owner can re-cover same by proving property and paying for this advertisement. Inquire at the Transcript office.

POSITION WANTED,

Notice to Watertakers.

As it is absolutely necessary to enable the treasurer to put his accounts in shape to turn over to the city, that all water rents be paid at once, it is requested that all unpaid rents be settled BEFORE THE 20TH INST, or atringent measures will have to be taken for their collection. JAMES W. HARDENBERGH, Treasurer.

SKATING.

HASKINS' SKATING RINK. BARTLETT'S POND.

The ice has been cleaned and flooded and is in the best condition this season.

Admission 5 cents.

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were the prices on Rubber Goods quoted so low in this county by any store before. : : : :

We want room!

Goods must go!

All First-quality Goods and at prices many would ask for second and third qualities. READ! READ!

Children's Fleece-lined Rubber Boots now 98c, made to sell for \$1 35 and \$1.50. Misses' Fleece-lined Rubber Boots now

Ladies' Fleece-lined Rubber Boots now \$1.33, made to sell for \$2.00. Men's "Storm King" Rubber Boots (to the hip) now \$2.98 made to sell for \$4.00.

\$1.10, made to sell for \$1.50.

\$2.45, made to sell for \$3.00.

Men's Woonsocket Duli, Short Boots

Men's Jersey Cloth, Black Flesce-linea Alaskas \$1.27. made to sell for \$1.65. (Storm Rubber style.)

Ladies' Jersey Clock, Black ficece-lined Alaskas 98c, made to sell for \$1.50. Ladies' Boston "Cape May" Rubbers,

plain, now 42c, made to sell for 65c. Men's Heavy Buckled Arctics, Bay State make, now \$1.15, made to sell for

WEBER Bros., The "Wholesalers."

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If you need a pair of Trousers, try the "Dutchess." Every pair warranted.

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53 Holden St. 35 Eagle St.

The Latest • • • • • EVENING DRESS SUITS.

The Evening Dress Coat for the incoming season will be shorter. The ma terial that will be chiefly used for the suit are clear-cut plain twills, dress broad-Cloth Finish, Viscunas and Thibets and Dress Worted, but in addition a white write of Silk or Marsellis will be worn. The peaked lapel style of coat will be more favored than the shawl roll style though the latter will be quite popular. especially with young men.

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SATURDAY AFTERNOON, JAN. 18, 1896

A discussion seems to be going on in Massachusetts as to the life and survival of the country fair. Has it had its day and ceased to be? is the question that is agitating its friends and advocates.

bers expected." He therefore suggested that the question of another fair deserved consideration, and he said:

This is indeed a gloomy view of the

Here in North Adams, if our fair men keep up a country fair—the real, genuiue article—there are enough people here in the shops and mills and stores who will

to our fair association. No, we are not ready to believe that the

future, he has been chosen to grant the well that it will be well-nigh impossible

able to answer this question: Did Mr. be the guestion to the guestion of the city.

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Sale positive, "rain or shire," Wednewlay, Jan. 22, 1896.

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SUBURBAN NEWS.

Happenings of Interest in Our Neighbor Towns.

AT ADAMS TODAY.

meet at the home of Mis Grace Jubb this Street Railway—Accidents at Reu frow Mills-Oblimaries.

Never Applied for a Permit. The matter of the street railway extension becomes simpler and more certain every day. It has long been understood by the general public that the Boston and Albany Railroad company had refused the Hoosac Valley Street Railway company permission to cross the track at Park street. This proves upon investigation to be a misunderstanding, as the railroad officials state they have never made such refusal and in fact have never been approached on the subject. Thus it ould seem that the street railway people have remained south of the bridge vbolly of their own volition and the real state of affairs has not been fairly represented. The charter gives permission to the company to run cars to Maple Grove and the Boston and Albany company has no say in the matter whatever. The state railway commissioners must deter mine whether the track will run over the bridge or south of it and set the exact place, but beyond that there is nothing to be done except to have the selectmen demand the extension and make the company comply or revoke the charter. The matter is ripe now and if anything is to be done, the best plan is to go at it at once, instead of laboring under another

miscomprehension for another six or Miss Amy C. Alden.

eight years.

Miss Amy C. Alden died at her home on Commercial street at 1.30 o'clock Friday afternoon at the age of seventy-one years. Miss Alden was born at Somerset, Vt., January 4, 1825, and was a daughter of Luther and Nanoy Alden. She lived with her parents in that town a number of years and came here with them in 1850. Since that time Miss Alden's life has been passed in Adams. A year ago she had a severe attack of la grippe and never rallied from the effects but her life ebbed out day by day until her death was momentarily expected. She was a pleasant home woman, not very well known but highly esteemed. She was a member of no church but until illness prevented she was a regular attendant at the Methodist Miss Aklen is survived by four sisters: Misses Hannah 8. and Sarah M. Alden of Adams, Mrs. I. C. Soule of Milford and Mrs. Myron Frow of Cummington. The funeral will occur from Miss Alden's late home on Commercial street at 2.30 o'clock Monday afternoon and Rev. P. H. Goettel will officiate.

The Postoffice Situation.

Public opinion on the postoffice question has been very unstable during the past few days. Strong influence has been brought to bear by both lines of fighters and the matter, which was thought practically determined some time ago does not seem to be so certain. The inspector's report it is generally thought, although perhaps without reason, will favor the present location of the office. The public attitude is one of unconcern except for a deep curiosity as to which faction will win the battle.

The Baptist Organ Recital.

The Baptist society has arranged for a grand organ recital to occur on Tuesday, February 4, the day preceding the church dedication. The organ is one of the best-the Waltham Church Organ company has ever turned out and Rev. Mr. Poskett has engaged for the recital one of the best church organists in the United States, J. V. Flaggler of Auburn, N. Y.

George Thompson, George Thompson, aged 'seventy-one, died at the town farm about 8 o'clock Friday night after long suffering from asthma. Mr. Thompson was a moulder and came to this town from Pittsfield several years ago to work in the Allen foundry. He has been an inmate of the almshouse since February 16, 1892. His funeral will occur Sunday afternoon.

Accidents at the Renfrew Mill

A fire caught in the weave shop of the lower Renfrew mill Friday afternoon but was extinguished before any serious damage was done. The blaze was started by the kerosene lamp with which the gas is lighted. A few pails of water, quickly applied, prevented a damaging conflagra-

The large hydraulic press which was recently set up burst but did no damage except to itself.

Mr. Hall's Successor Appointed. Supt. Z D. Hall of the Berkshire cotton company has gone to Providence, R. I., to assume the duties of his new position His successor has been appointed in the person of A. F. Knight, who comes from

Manchester, N. H., where he was superintendent of the Armery mills. Mr. Knight will begin his labors here February 1st. Dr. J. J. McLaughlin of North Adams Intends to open a branch office in A. W.

Jones' new Park street block, Sheriff O'Brien will have his office with , B. Richmond. Mr. O'Brien will be local agent for the New York life insurance company in connection with his other du-

Mrs. L. A. Hart entertained a few friends at whist Friday evening. Mrs. S. L. A. Hall gave a whist party to

number of friends Thursday evening. A social will be held in the Baptist so elety rooms Tuesday evening.

The Berkshire Cotton company has petitioned the state legiclature to increase their capital to \$2,000,000.

The Kings Daughters will meet at the Congregation house this afternoon. The Alert hose company's private social Friday night was a pleasant one. There was dancing with music by Neary's orchestra and P. J. Kelther prompter, entertainments of other kinds and refres-

The Ladice' Aid society's leap-year dance will occur Thursday evening. A large party will go to Cheshire to-

night on a leap-year 'ride and enjoy a The Troy Cash grocery on Myrtle street

has cleared itself from the recent finanoial difficulties and resumed business. The J. S. Abrams base ball club's dence Friday evening was quite successful, There is considerable talk among the

young people of starting a dancing school and one of the projectors states he will make all arrangements and manage the entire concern if a sufficient number will signify a willingness to attend. All who favor the plan are requested to drop a postal card or note to the holder of postoffice box 1134. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs.

Frank Sullivan Friday,

The new town clock in the Baptist church steeple is running and the transparent faces were illuminated Friday eve

ning. Major F. G. Southmayd visited Major R. A. Whipple Friday.

The Hoose club has engaged the room on the second floor of the First National Bank block, recently vacated by Co. M. The Bapust Girls' Mission band will

afternoon. Supper will be served after a sale of fancy articles. "Socialism and Anarchy" will be discussed at Wednesday evening's meeting

of the local Socialists. The Woman's Christian Temperance union's new officers are: President, Mrs. Louis Amell; vice-presidents, Mrs. George N. Yeaton, Mrs. E. Van Dyck and Mrs. James Carpenter; secretary, Miss Ella Hathaway; treasurer, Mrs. G. H. Ed-

wada. Miss Mary Forrest is at home after completing a course in the Albany bunness

CHESHIRE.

John M. Cole of Williamstown was in town yesterday and called upon Frank

S. White of the State Board of Lunacy and Charity was in town yesterday to attend to a case which is in dispute be-

tween the town and the state. The cattle commissioners found another diseased cow in the herd of C. J. Fales. A. Viner is home from his select school in Florida for a few days.

Ralph Williams is unable to attend the school at Adams, being on the sick list. The Methodist folks held a prayer meet ing at W. H. Morgan's on Depot street

last evening. The Junior club of young ladies met with Miss Ruth Phillips last evening. The Lucier Novelty Comedy company showed at Dean's hall last evening to a

full house and gave general satisfaction. 'The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church held their annual meeting with Mrs. L. L. Rider Thursday afternoon and chose the following officers: President, Mrs. D. M. Bryant; vice president, Mrs. C. Getrian; secretary, Miss Susan Tyrrell; treasurer, Mrs. L. L. Rider; social committee, Mrs. E. Cheesbro and Mrs. Rider.

Rev. P. F. Youlan will occupy the Methodist church pulpit as usual tomor-

WILLIAMSTOWN.

The directors of the Williamstown National bank had a meeting Friday to decide about the semi-annual dividend and other matters. A dividend of 2j per cent was declared. The cashier's report was read. Six hundred dollars of the furniture and fixture account was charged off. Two hundred dollars was carried to surplus account.

Mrs. C. B. F. Pease of West Troy is quite ill. She is a sister of Cashier Charles

Arthur Galusha has returned from Washington, where he passed an examination for a position in the Agricultural department.

F. K. McLaughlin has filled his ice house with the best ice that he ever cut. It is about twelve inches thick. B. H. Sherman is placing gutters on Mrs. Phoebe Cole's new tenement house

on Cole avenue. Edward Jerome has left the employ of B. H. Sherman for a short time and is cutting ice on the Hudson.

Frank Gunn of Sherman's store has gone to work for a short time in Mrs. Kelly's tin shop at Readsboro, Vt. Extra meetings are being held at the

Clark chapel, Riverside. Rev. Mr. Arnold of Pownal has been the cause of great interest in religious matters. Meeker of Troy, N. Y., has also been listened to with interest.

Arthur C. Sidman, one of the few fine impersonaters of the old man character, gave a fine performance in "A Summer Shower" at the opera house Friday eve-

The new furnace for the Congregational church came Friday. Mr. Sherman is exerting all his forces to have them ready for Sunday. His men are working far into the night to accomplish the task. Mr. White, the sexton, says he never saw

larger ones.
Mr. Wildy, the student injured in the gymnasium Thursday, is reported to be His face was badly cu doing well. number of stitches were necessary to draw the cuts into place for healing properly. He will be disfigured for life, which in itseli is a a cause for sympathy.

For china, glass tin ware go to A. W. Hunt, No. 20 Spring St., new 10-cent store.

Laundry, 72 Main St, Charley Won. proprietor. I will call for washing, when laundered will deliver to owners.

BLACKINTON.

Pleasant Leap-Year Dance. There was an unusually pleasant gathering of young people in the new Temperance hall last evening, the occasion being a leap-year party given by the Omega Alpha Omega club, which consists of young ladies. The occasion was the most successful of its kind over given in this place. The hall was specially decorated for the occasion by the young ladies, and their efforts were certainly crowned with words of praise. Evergreen was profusely scattered about the room. The balcony and front of the stage was prettily decorated with bunting and evergreen. The music was excellent and the surroundings exquisite. The whole affair was a success from beginning to end. All enjoyed themselves. Many friends of the club were present from North Adams and Williamstown. The patronesses were Mrs. E. W. Blackinton and Mrs. R. E.

BRAYTONVILLE.

The committee of Welchmen appointed by the Leek club 'to make arrangements for the annual celebration of St. David's day, will meet this evening at the home of George Hamer on West Main street.

The North Adams Manufacturing company completed a full line of fancy worsted and woolen samples. T. C. O'Connor is confined to the house

Mr. and Mrs. James Stickley of Richvlew avenue entertained a large number of their friends last evening. Refreshments were served and games and dancing were also enjoyed. Music was furnished by John McNuity.

A number of young men here have formed themselves into an athletic club, a good sized room has been seenred and a stove set up, and will be equipped with all the apparatus of a modern gymnasium.

C. H. Hubbard and John Kane of the Berkshire Cycle company will go Monday to New York city to attend the exhibition of bloycles manufactured in this country. The display will include over one pl 🥆 🦴 300 styles and makes of wheels.



PERSONAL GOSSIP.

the chorus and the men, "if they didn't know it to whistle." Miss Gold sang John W. Mackay is said to be the and at some points was rather suggestive strongest, physically, of all our great millionaires.

The king of the Belgians possesses a curious distinction. He has never been Italian and proved as entertaining as any mown to wear gloves. of the troupe. Mr. Stoppa was encored and pleased so well that he was compelled Julia Marlowe says that it is one of

the regrets of her life that she did not see Neilson play Juliet. You can always greet one Prairie

township (Kan.) man with a Pleasant Day, because that's his name.

Congressman William M. Treloar of Missouri has been music teacher in several prominent western colleges. Paul Bourget has lost a brother in the

Madagascar expedition. He died of fever as he was on the point of starting home. Grover Cleveland Hobbs, the 12-yearold son of the farm manager of Senator Gorman, has been appointed a page in the senate at Washington.

When Stuart Cumberland, the mind reader, receptly gave an exhibition in Stockholm, King Oscar kindly acted as his interpreter to the audience. Japanese Minister Kurino is making a

close study of our congressional methods. He spends a good deal of time in the diplomatic gallery of the house. Lord Hawke, who visited America a

few years ago with a team of English cricketers, has just started for the Cape of Good Hope with another team. M. Hanotaux, the ex-foreign minister of France, is one of the greatest living

authorities on Balzac, as well as an

acute student of the life and time of

Richeliea.

Alfred Grooms, one of the best hunters in southern Ohio, has only one arm. He uses a heavy, double barreled shotgun, which he holds under the stump of his amputated limb.

Rabbi Hirsch of Chicago has started a movement to erect a library building on the campus of the University of Chicago, to cost \$100,000, and to be known as the Lessing library, in honor of the great German writer and thinker.

next summer and play a short engage There is a Smith family in Ohio with ment there. peculiar given names. The father is the Rev. Jeremiah Prophet Elijah Smith. His sons are named Most Noble Festus company has been dishanded. and Sir Walter Scott Bart, and his daughters Juan Fernandez Island and will star this season is now being writ-ten for her by C. H. Meltzer. It is a Tierra del Fuego.

Dean Farrar of Canterbury thinks it comedy. perfectly erroneous to talk of the failure of missions, when they started with 120 despised Galileeans, and when now England in response to a cable from her there are 120,000,000 Protestants, and husband. they have in their power almost all the resources of the world." New York than in any city in the world.

TURF TOPICS.

About eight mares in a thousand on an average breed twins.

The well known juriman and driver, Budd Doble, has taken a residence in New York city.

Colonel J. Ruppert, Jr., has secured to his Chicago houses, but the divette second call on Jockey Simms' services had made other arrangements. for next season. Statistics carefully compiled show study of Yvette Guilbert's methods and that 7,862 races were run during the

past season on the regular tracks. John Green, who owned the world's champion trotting stallion, Directum, 2:05¼, died recently in Dublin, Cal.

Orrin Hickok has turned Hulda out for the winter and hopes to take her up in the spring in fine condition for serious work. In 1895 on \$4 race courses there was

a total of \$2,826,479 hung up in stakes and purses for the 54,988 starters to pull down. The dams of Falkland, 2:18%;

Houri, 2:17; Juanita, 2:29; Nellie Mo-

Gregor, 2:14, and Montrose, 2:18, are all in feal to Arion, 2:07%. In Goodwin's Official Guide there are in Colorado and California. 218 horses whose names are duplicates and as this does not cover racing at the

ontlaw tracks there are probably other During the past year New York's five tracks for runners gave the horse owners \$711,302 for 707 races, making the average value of the events a trifle over

\$1,000 each. If the law relating to pool selling is permitted to become a dead letter in Pennsylvania, there will be a large supply. number of meetings at the smaller towns. -Turf. Field and Farm.

ODDS AND ENDS.

In 1868 gas was first employed as a

fuel. Americans use more than 90,000,000 pounds of tena year, nearly all of which comes from China.

The fica is provided with a lancet and a cutting apparatus which looks almost exactly like a ministure razor. These instruments are carefully tucked away in his proboscis and used for bloodletting purposes.

A high board fence is built around the site of all that is left of the Talmage tabernacle, at Greene and Clinton avenues, Brooklyn. Inside the fence is a mass of broken brick and stone and twisted iron braces.

The expenses of the Vatican are very heavy, one authority estimating them at \$5,000 a day, but when the immense number of cardinals, chamberlains. servants and others connected with papal institutions are considered it does not seem excessive. A statistician says he has observed that musicians have, as a rule, excellent heads of hair. In the prime of life the

every 100 music devotees only one hairless head is met with, while in other professions about 11 in every 100 are If the Atlantic ocean could have a layer of water 6,000 feet deep removed from its surface, it would only reduce the width of that great body of water one-half.

musician's hair flourishes most, and in

HOWE'S HOMILIES. Every favorite should remember that his rival is liable to appear at any time.

Every one who puts himself in the way of punishment forgets how bad it burt the lest time. Fat men would not look so bad if they were fat all over, but they are fat all in

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Continued from First Page

It is hoped the Mutual Aid society will

select a higher character of talent than

Mr. L. Stopps sang some selections in

The orchestra at this point played se-

lections from "Traviata," Verdi. The orchestra's work was by far the best part

of the entertainment from a musical

After this selection G. Santoro sang a selection from "HI Trovatore," Verdi,

Muse Bell Gold sang another popular song

and was encored. Her songs were very

estchy and not the purest. A. Camers

played as a trombone solo "Luisa," a

polka of his own composition. He played

it with considerable flourish, but not without some good effect. He was en-

cored and played a very tender selection.

the entertainment, duets by Mr. Stopps and Mrs. Stopps Remonde. They were

Neopolitan selections and given in fine

costume and admirable manner. Follow-

ing this came Pavanelli's troupe which

performed with sledge hammers on stone.

with sewer-filling tampers and with agri-

cultural instruments and in each case made line music. These implements were

of course disguised musical instruments.

Then came the grand finale and the danc

The entertainment cost the society not

less than \$600. The persons attending came from distances of over fifty miles.

STAGE GLINTS.

J. E. Toole is rehearing his new

Alf Hampton is playing Larry How

Harry Corson Clarke is with the Ly-

Grace Filkins expects to visit London

Charles H. Hoyt's "A Runaway Colt"

The play in which Georgia Cayvan

Ellaline Terriss has left the cast of

"His Excellency" and gone home to

It costs more to conduct a theater in

Rents are higher and all expenses are

Henry Jewett may organize a com

pany and undertake a starring tour with

Richard Golden's play of Revolutionary

Colonel J. D. Hopkins made a very

Pearl Andrews is making a special

will add an imitation of the celebrated

Frenchwoman to her repertory in a few

Marie Jansen has been ill for several

weeks and has had to undergo a severe

surgical operation. She is convalescent

now, however, and is ready to resume

MINERALS.

Alabaster exists in 17 different states.

The turquoise has been found in New

Obsidian exists in large quantities in

Grains of platinum have been found

The only quickeilver mines of conse

quence in this country are located in

Malachite has been found in two or

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since enormously increased the world's

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times, "Benedict Arnold."

has been taken off the boards and the

play, "My Gypsy German."

ard in "Oue of the Bravest."

ceum Stock company, Denver.

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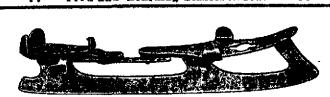
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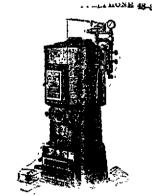
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A FORGER FOR \$75,000.

Prominent Business Man of Boston Is Among the Missing.

Used Father-In-Law's Name on Bad Notes.

Creditors Will Mourn His Departure to the Extent of \$150,000.

Boston, Jan. 18.-E. C. Morris, the wellknown safe manufacturer and dealer, left Boston about two week ago and has not been heard from since that time. It has been discovered that he forged the name of his father-in-law, Hon Frank M. Ames, on notes which will probably aggregate \$75,000. It is known that brokers, banks and trust companies hold about \$50,000, and that private individuals have probably

\$25,000 more.
In the course of his business operations Mr. Ames had endorsed a \$5000 note for his son-in-law. Both being well-known men, Mr. Morris bad very little difficulty in getting notes discounted with the name of Mr. Ames as an endorser. He was thus enabled to use notes to the amount of \$75,000, as indicated above. They were widely distributed, so that none of the men or banks will suffer any large individual loss.

Mr. Morris was 51 years of age, and was Widely and Favorably Known in Boston. He was originally of the firm of Morris & Ireland, safe dealers. After this firm was dissolved be formed the E. C. Morris Safe company, but was forced to retire from the management about one year ago. He has always been a man of correct habits, pleasant and popular in a

large circle of friends.

His downfall was due to a common cause—speculation. Before he left the E. C. Morse Safe company he began to speculate, and during the past year that dangerous business was his sole occupation.

He probably lost most or all of the \$76,-000 in speculation, as it is not believed that he had much money when he fied. An ex-amination of his affairs has shown that

he owes \$150,000, much of it to personal Thus a man who had a large business. a good income and considerable property has not only lost it through speculation, but his losses led to crime and the loss of a

reputation which can never be regained. Sentiment of Boston Reformers.

BOSTON, Jan. 18.—The Massachusetts Beform ciul, met last night and heard sev-eral addresses on the Mouroe doctrine. Professor John Buck McMasters stated Professor John Buck McMasters stated that the Monroe doctrine was the sign of "No trespassing" put up by President Monroe when asked by the "holy alliance" what the policy of the United States was to be among the nations of the world. John Bull has tern that sign down, and it remains for us either to put it up again, and put it up in such a way that it will be seen that we wish to keep it there, or let it lie where it has been thrown and be silent, Professor Albert Bushnell Hart spoke generally against the application of the Monroe doctrine in the present Venezuelan question.

Miss Chandler's Claims.

BOSTON, Jan. 18.-Miss Lillian Chandhoston, Jan. 16.—anss Linnan Chander of Baltimore, a well-known violinist, and Miss Luella V. Orr, who were arrested after a concert at People's Temple, were arraigned in court yesterday. Miss Chandler testified that she first met Miss Orr about four years ago, but from a short time after the meeting Miss Orr had exercised a strange influence over her. When she met Miss Orr in Boston a few months ago, the latter induced her, by reason of this influence, to enter into a deal on some furniture, and that the furniture had been removed from the premises, which they had hired without her knowledge or consent. The case is not finished.

Looking Alter the Young.

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 18. — The annual meeting of the Rhode Island Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children was held vesterday afternoon. Among other business were petititions to the general assembly calling for the enactment of laws governing "baby farming," similar to those in Mussachusetts, legislation increasing the age of consent and also raising the age of consent to marriage to 16 years. Another petition requested that a law be adopted prohibiting girls under a certain age from attending places of amusement without being accompanied by parents or guardian.

On Bezoon Hill Boston, Jan. 18.—Among the bills in-troduced in the house yesterday was one requiring a uniform rate of 2 cents a mile on all Massachusetts railroads, and another requiring street railway companies to protect drivers and motormen from the inclemency of the weather during the winter season. Both of these bills are old acquaintances, having been before previous legislatures. A petition from the Berkshire Cotton Manufacturing company asks for an increase of capital stock to \$2,000. The senate had a short session and did nothing of moment.

Dexter's Blaze.

BANGOR, Me., Jan. 18 .- A fire started in Dexter, 42 miles from here, about mid-night last night, and at one time threatened to sweep the town. The water pressure was very low, and a message was sent to this city for assistance. A steamer was just about to leave by special train when a second message was received, saying that the fire was under control. First National bank building and the Western Union office adjoining were burned, besides the buildings adjoining. Losses not given.

Another Read Cinb.

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 18.-The native of Maine resident in this city held a meeting last night to launch a "Thomas B. Reed club of Concord," as it was are nounced by the speakers. The intention of the club, explained in several vigorous addresses, was to further the interests of the Maine statesman in his candidacy for president. The club started with a membership of 50 prominent Republican work-

The Clark Mystery.

BLOCK ISLAND, R. I., Jan. 18 .- Opinion is growing that James Clark, whose body came ashore here, was murdored. There are two bullet holes, one going through the head and the other ball lodging in the brain. The body was well clothed, with 45 cents in the pockets.

Mrs. Valuis Heard From.

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 18.—Friends of Mrs. Clara Valois, who was charged last November with the murder of her father, John Roessler of Scitnate, claim that she is innocent and will surrender herself it the state officials will accept a reasonable amount of bail. She says she has been in hiding long enough and is prepared to furnish \$19,000 bonds, but no more.

Signs of Poisoning.

RUTLAND, Vt., Jan. 18.—The sudden death of George C. Town of Poultney aroused so much suspicion that Dr Caverly yesterday conducted an autopsy.

Town recently came into the possession of considerable property. There were symptons of poisoning, but until the visceral analyzed a report will not be made.

ORDERED TO BERMUDA.

British Fleet Said to Be Carrying a Bribe to Venezuela.

Monroe Doctrine Made Plain by Senate Committee.

Resolution of a Broad Character That Will Cover All Cases.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18 .- Ropresentative Livingston of the foreign affairs committee, who is keeping a close watch of all developments in the Venezuelan complication, says he has no doubt of the truthfulness of the report that the British flying squadron were hurrying toward Bermuda and would go from there to

Venezucia.
"I knew these facts the other day," says Livingston, "when I offered my resolu-tion directing the president to check British advance and compel the withdrawal of their re-enforcements of the Venezuelan outposts. I tried to so inform the house, but Boutelle objected. The squadron will convey an offer to Crespo of 3,000,000 or 4,000,000 in gold for the disputed territory.

My information is trustworthy."

At the navy department no authentic confirmation or denial of this report of the flying squadron's movements can be obtained, but should the story prove true, it is not unlikely that the North Atlantic squadron would take a cruise in southern

A Far-Reaching Resolution. The resolution drawn by Senator Davis, and adopted by the senate committee on foreign relations yesterday, will prove to be a clear and strong enunciation of the Monros doctrine when its text is made public. It is a more forceful declaration than any that has been introduced in congress on this subject, and its terms are so explicit that they cannot be misunder

The maintenance of the Monroe doctrine, as set forth in the resolution, is held to be vital to the welfare of this country and the countries of the American countries ont. The doctrine, it is asserted, is now in force, and has been in force ever since was established by President Monroe The resolution declares it to mean that the acquisition by purchase, aggression or otherwise of any territory on the American continent is an unfriendly act, and such acquisition will not be permitted by the United States.

most important feature is that which touches upon a new phase of the Venezuelan question: The report that England and Venezuela may reach an agreement, and that English money will settle the boundary dispute. The resolu-tion declares that in case boundary disputes on the American continent between foreign governments and American governments are decided by arbitration, agreement, purchase, or in any manner whatever, the United States shall be the sole judge as to whether the Monroe doctrine has been violated in such arbitration or agreement.

In fact, it means that arbitration or agreement between foreign governments and governments on the American continent as to boundary disputes cannot become binding or effective unless sanc-tioned by the United States, and that this government is satisfied that no part of the American continent has been ceded to a foreign power by such arbitration or agree-ment. This practically makes the United States the arbitrator between foreign governments and those of the American continent in all boundary disputes.

This portion of the resolution is considered most important and far-reaching in its effects. It causes m'sapprehension and it is claimed that it may lead to many entanglements. On the other hand, the supporters of the resolution say that it leaves everything in the hands of the United States where the final decision should be, and that the United States will interfere only when the Monroe doctrine has been violated.

Long Discussion Ended.

The house yesterday passed the pension appropriation bill, to the consideration of which it has devoted the ontire week, and then adjourned until Monday. Mr. Bartlett (Dem., N. Y.) raised points of order against all new legislation proposed in the way of amendments, such as that looking to make a pension a "vested right," etc., and Mr. Dingley (Me.), who was in the chair, sustained them. In this way the clause in the bill changing existing law so as to allow widows to obtain pensions under the act of 1890, whose net incomes did not exceed \$500 per annum, was stricken out. Mr. Bartlett, however, did not raise the point against the provisions making pensions under the act of 1890 rejected, anspended or dismissed and afterward allowed to date from their first application It was announced in the debate that hitls covering the amendments ruled out yesterday would be reported from the invalid pensions committee. The pension bill as passed carried \$141,825,820, about \$50,000 less than the estimate. The bili was passed 50 days ahead of any previous

pension appropriation bill.

The president yesterday sent a message to congress "to invite attention to the necessity of prompt legislation in order to remove the limitation of the time within which suits may be brought by the government to annul unlawful or unauthorized

grants of public lands." Allen to Step Dut.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The disagree-ment between the co-pastors of the First Presbyterian church, Rev. Dr. Talmage and Rev. Adolos Allen, has been settled by the church calling for Mr. Allen's res-tignation. The church will honor the recent contract for Mr. Allen's services up to Oct. 1 next, but in order to avoid future complications he has been asked to tender his resignation as early as practicable. Dr. Talmage will now hold forth twice on Sundays.

Frank Lawler Dead.

CHICAGO, Jan. 18. — Ex-Congressman Frank Lawler died of apoplexy yesterday. He had been active in local politics for a quarter of a century, and was a prominent candidate for the office of postmaster of Chicago three years ago.

Thieves' Queer Hiding Place.

NEW YORE, Jan. 18.—Some time be-tween 9 o'clock and midnight the rooms of some of the members of the Calumet club wers burglariously entered and jewelry and diamonds valued at about \$5000 were stolen. Roundsman Gulder subsequently found nearly all the missing articles roiled up in an old handkerchief and stuffed in a corner of the public lavatory in Battery park. The police are at a loss to account for the valuables being found in such a strange place.

Seven Men Killed.

HAMPTON, S. C., Jan. 18.—Seven ne-groes, who were working on the railroad being built from Waltecow to Ehrhardts, were killed by the falling in of the roof of their mud-covered shanty.

Postoffice Hobbed.

WESTERLY, R. I., Jan. 18,-The safe in the postoffice as Narragansett Pier was blown up with dynamite yesterday, and a large sum of money and several hundred dollars' worth of postage stamps were taken. There is no clew to the robbers,

BARBARITY OF TURKS.

Details of Awful Massacres In Letters From Ravaged Districts.

Women and Children Slaughtered Without Mercy.

Foreign Missionary Representatives Take Action in Behalf of Armenia

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—The Armenian Relief association are in constant receipt of letters whose contents—dealing with alleged Turkish atrocities—the association consider are too horrible to admit of general publication. A few of these letters were given out yesterday, the names of the writers being withheld, the association be heving that their publication would bring swift destruction upon them by the Turk ish government. Here are copies of the

ERZHOOM, Nov 9 .- It is almost impos sible for me to describe what I have seen and heard. It may be that the continental papers have written about it; but I do not think that they have been able to give any adequate idea of the awful situation. In Gorum everything which diabolical in-genuity can devise has been done by the Turkish soldiers and bashi-bazouks. All the Armenian villages are in ashes, and the smoke which is arising from the ruined houses gives the appearance of a volcanic cruption.

Along the road between Trebizond and Erzroom at every step bodies are lying. We are unable to leave our homes to bury the dead; unable to sleep. The whole city has taken on the aspect of a wild deserstrewn with corpses. Hundreds of thou sands of families are compelled to wander in rags, begging for their living. The same fate has befallen a few Europeans.

Beggars Description. CESAREA, Nov. 30 .- While the Arme nians were engaged in their business as usual, the Turkish mob fell upon them, killing 600 defenseless men and wounding 1000 more. The mob divided into four parts. The first plundered the stores, the second looted the houses, the third secured the maldens and young brides, while the fourth, flends incarnate, attacked the pub-

These human devils have killed str naked women in the presence of the others, snatching their babies from their arms and bayoneting the mothers. The shricks and agonized cries of these poor creatures made no impression upon the minds of the savage Turks, who laughed at their death agonies. They then took some of the young girls who were with their mothers at the bath and dragged them naked by their feet through the streets, followed by a jeering and hoot-

The Turks who attacked and fired the houses, afterward killed the inmates. The cries of the women in their distress, mingled with the hoarse shouts of the Turks, made a sound that can never be forgotten. Men who survived the sword were appre hended, taken to the magistrate searched, but no arms were found in their ssession, not even a knife.

When released and allowed to return to their homes they were confronted by a most ghastly picture. Some found their wives dead, others horribly mutilated: daughters had been outraged and bleed-ing. My hands almost fail me to write the awful particulars. It is impossible to describe it. It took three or four days to remove the bodies of the dead with 40

Add to this the want, the desolation. Oh, my Godi for how long, how long? Where are those Christian powers who saved African slaves? Where are those Christians who advocated brotherly love and mercy, sending their missionaries to teach us? Are they deaf to our piercing cry?

Women and Children Herribly Treated. VAN. Nov. 11.-After the massacre in Paghesh, 500 or 600 Armenians were gathered in an inn, and the government soldiers were called to conduct them to their homes, but instead, they were taken to and a few of them only were set at liberty after signing the statement "that the Turks are not guilty, as the Armenian made the first attack." The Turks are similar reasons for

menians in the surrounding country. Near Harpoot 11 villagas were compelled to accept Mohammedanism, and also near Van the entire population of two villages were forced to change their religion. Eight villages near Van have been entirely depopulated, most of the inhabitants were killed, and those who survived escaped to the snow-covered mountains, where they now wander with their children, naked and starving. The men who were forced to accept Moham medanism have been compelled to take their own sisters-in-law, whose husbands have been killed, to wife, a practice most horrible to the Christians who

hate polygamy.

They are also compelled to plunder and kill their Armenian brethren to show that their conversion to Mohammedanism is genuine. The young maidens of these vil-lages are carried into the pasha's harem The Kurds have attacked the same vil lages over and over to make their work of destruction complete. The country has been reduced to such absolute poverty that there is now no money in the treas

ury.
The Armenians are unable to pay taxes fields as they have no stores nor harvest fields The Kurds also decline to give their taxes as they are all enlisted in the hamidich The government is unable to pay for the transportation of the army, and the gov ernor of Van has not received his monthly pay for six months. This is the prophecy of a still worse fate in store for us, for the reason that the government will insist upon it being raised, and as we cannot pay we will be considered as rebellious and s

massacre will follow. Christians' Appeal.

The representatives of the foreign mis-sionary boards and societies in the United States and Canada, who had been in conference here yesterday, announced that a resolution regarding Armenian sufferers had been adopted. It says in part:

Whereas, the suffering in Turkey, resulting from massacre and robbery, and
Whereas, the Red Cross agency cannot enter at once upon its work while immediate relief can be applied through existing channels. Resolved, That in the judgment of the conference the appeal for relief is most uvgent.

Resolved, That we recommend to the pastern

Mesoived. That we recommend to the pasters and churches of the several denominations which we represent that earnest prayer to Al-mighty God be made in behalf of that suffer-ing land, and that generous gifts be promptly sent. Resolved, That we authorize an appeal in the name of foreign mission boards of the United

States to the government at Washington to exert its influence in all legitimate ways to bring the massacres to a speedy end and to guard the missionary interests. Rev. S. L. Baldwin, D.D., delivered an address on the relations of boards, missionaries and converts to governments, home and foreign. He read the following

letter from an American in Turkey: "Are our people aware of the fact that some 50,000 in numbers, unarmed, inoffengive Christian people, have been slaugh-tered in cold blood; that at least \$00,000 women and children have been rendered absolutely destitute of everything except the scanty slothing in which they escaped

the massacre, and many of them even stripped maked?

stripped maked?
"Do they realize the fact of thousands of Christian men and women freely ac cepting death rather than deny their Saviour, and that the persecutors are preventing charitable ald being given to starving women and children in order to force them to become Moslems? Do they know the fact, which has been published both in England and America, that these things are done by direct order from the

Said Dr. Boldwin: "He well denominates the present ruler 'the most unmitagated tyrant that ever sat upon the throne of Osman.'" The speaker thought the decent nations of the earth had a right to interfere to prevent slaughter in Armenia, and mentioned the conduct of the American cans in forcing their way into Japan for purposes of extending trade and com-merce, by way of contrast to the present policy of the powers in Turkey.

WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW Brings But Little Comfort to Those Moving In the Business World.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.-Dun's weekly review of trade says: No branch of manufacture has made progress, for all are unavoidably waiting, both for settlement of financial doubts and for a demand which does not yet appear.

The situation could hardly be more perplexing for business men. Practical

nerchants, manufacturers or bankers can have little sympathy for those who mini mize their difficulties. There is little better inquiry for staples, with indications that dealers' stocks are

running low. The opening of fine and fancy woolens have brought no change in prices, and revisions caused by recent openings of worsteds have been generally oward lower prices.

None doubts that the government will raise money to nicet obligations, but how far the money market will be disturbed or the treasury reserve first diminished none can say. The business world cannot know as yet how far foreign questions may upset calculations, though there seems every reason to expect peaceful set-

It cannot know what may be the duties on any important class of imports a month hence, whether imports are likely to exceed exports and draw away gold, whether the deficit of revenue will continue or what other taxation will be levied Failure of the senate thus far to take any action upon financial measures proposed by the president or those passed by the house affects unfavorably all branches of husiness. Under such adverse circum stances it is actually encouraging that shrinkage in transactions and resulting commercial disasters have not been greater Murder Will Out.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Jan. 18.—Mrs. Lucy Clemons, who had as a lover a railway man of this city, committed suicide yes-terday, and left letters charging that the man who was her lover, and a woman on whose husband's life there was a \$250 insurance, conspired to and did murder, by poisoning, the woman's husband. The man then married the murdered man's widow, and collected the insurance money This drove Mrs. Clemons to desperation and she killed berself, after having written lettors exposing the crime.

High Honor, Indeed. VIENNA, Jan. 13.—Charles Tinney, an American, will be at the head of the first Chinese university, about to be estab-lished at Tien-Tsin on the European model.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL

Ex-Premier Fioquet of France is dying. Montreal's finances are in a very bad

One thousand coal miners at Jobs, O., are on strike. The New York Mining Exchange will be opened about Feb. 1.

Chicago's convention victory is regarded by many Democrats as portentous of a Morrison boom. The Bancroft library, San Francisco, has been offered to the New York library corporation for \$300,000.

A poll of the Democratic national committee shows that Cleveland is the choice of those who would talk.

The Italian bark Marie del Soccorso, rom New York, Dec. B, for Naples, hat out into Funchal, island of Madeira, leakfrom New York, Dec. 3, for Naples, har put into Funchal, island of Madeira, leak-

New York bankers and brokers think the price at which the new government bonds will be taken will be on a 3½ per cent basis. There is no confirmation of the rumor

that Emperor William and Empress Augusta will visit the ezarewitch in February on French soil. The international bricklayers' conven

tion at Columbus, O., granted a charter to 4000 independent bricklayers of Chicago, who seceded a few years ago. A passenger train was met by a runa-way box car at Victor, Colo., and the pas-senger train was thrown from the track.

Fifteen passengers were badly hurt.

Arthur Clarkson, John Whitney and Alle Malloy left for a few hours' sail last Thursday on an iceboat on Saginaw bay. Much, and it is feared by their friends that they have gone through the ice, as they have not been seen since.

Joe Dunfee, champion middleweight pugilist of New York state, while boxing at Syracuse with La Blauche, the "Marine. broke the large bone of the forearm. Dun fee continued to fight without a flinch and gave LaBianche a very warm recep

John M. Maxwell, a reporter on the Chicago Tribune, has filed a suit agains Nat Goodwin for \$50,090 damages. He claims that Goodwin's play, "Ambition," belongs to him, and alleges that, after stealing the play, Goodwin named the vil-lain John M. Maxwell.

Full copies of Amhassador Bayard's now famous Edinburgh speech have reached Washington, and when the Bos-ton (Eng.) speech is received both will be transmitted to the house in answer to the resolution of inquiry adopted some days ago after a sensutional discussion.

Newloundland's Woo.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Jan. 18.—The Herald publishes an interview with the leading publishes an interview with the leading merchants, showing that the outlook for fishery products in the European markets is very discouraging. The markets are glutted with twice as much upon them as they are capable of absorbing. Most of the merchants will be convenient and other than merchants will be convenient. the merchants will be compelled to greatly reduce their outfits next season, thereby preventing hundreds of Eshermen from being able to engage therein. Starvation threatens some 4000 people at Fortune Bay, owing to the failure in the frozen herring

Sensational Testimony. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 18.—The senatorial investigating committee yesterday heard

evidence against Police Sergeant Saddington, to the effect that he had feloniously assaulted a 7-year-old daughter of Robert J. Roop. It was said that a complaint was made at headquarters, but nothing being done, Saddington was arrested. This was about four years ago. The grand jury found a true bill against the accused, but the case has never yet been brought to trial. The witnesses were Mr. Roop, the child and Dr. Weaver.

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MARIN IN COMMAND. Takes the Piace of De Campos, Who is Remered by Spain.

HABANA, Jan. 18. - Captain General Martinez de Campos formally resigned his command yesterday to General Marin. The ceremony took place with much solemnity in the great saloon of the captain general's palace. There were present sil the authorities of the city and the chief officers of the regular army and of the volunteers.



GENERAL DE CAMPOS

Campos was attired in the fatigue uniform of his rank, which he has worn daily and for many nights during the ardnous but unavailing campaign against the insurgent forces. General Campos made an address to the assembly, saying, in part:

data than are known at present to the public. There were times when the public opinion seemed to be that I did not wish to subdue the enemy. At first sight there may have appeared to be some foundation for such an opinion. But I am inspired with the knowledge that I have conscientiously done my duty, both

the past revolution in Cuba.

"I have been unfortunate in many things, and have not been sustained in my command. When I came to Habana from Matanzas I sought to avoid a public appearance, but all saw the reception ac-corded me, which I had not requested, because I am an enemy of public demonstrations. Nevertheless, for days after this certain politicians were continually writing to Madrid, requesting that I should be relieved.

"In consequence, two days since, I called a conference of the political leaders to hear what they would say. I then informed the home government that owing to the serious and critical situation, and actuated by serious and patriotic considerations, I should be obliged to them for the courtes of a relief from my command. My request having been granted, I am pleased to be liver my command to General Marin, and fident that he will do much to bring

Engagement Announced.

New York, Jan 18.—General Harrison last night authorized the announcement that he and Mrs Dimmick are raged to be married, and that the manot take place until after Lee During the life of Mrs. Harrison, who was her aunt, Mrs. Dummick practically governed Mr. Harrison's household in Indianapolis, and directed the household affairs of the White House during the period that Mrs. Harrison was sick. At all state functions Mrs. Dimmick received with Mrs. Harrison, when alive, and acted in her place when she was sick. Mrs. Dimmick is 40 years of age, tall, and a strikingly hand-some brunette.

"To judge correctly of the course of re-cent events on the island, we need more COSEY DELIGHTS WINTER NICHTS.

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Judge Nelson, 11 the United States court at Dulura, issued a decree ordering the sale of the Duluth and Winnipeg railway.

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The Last

Unfinished at the time of Mr. Stevenson's death, but completed by Mrs. Stevenson and her editorial advisers with the aid of copious notes left by this popular writer. The name of the story is "THE WEIR OF HERMISTON;" it will be published in the WEEKLY TRANSCRIPT later in the season.

Margaret Deland's "COUNTING THE COST."

> a new and remarkable story by the clever author of "John Ward, Preacher," will be commenced in the WEEKLY

Among the distinguished authors who have been engaged to furnish stories to be published exclusively for this locality in

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